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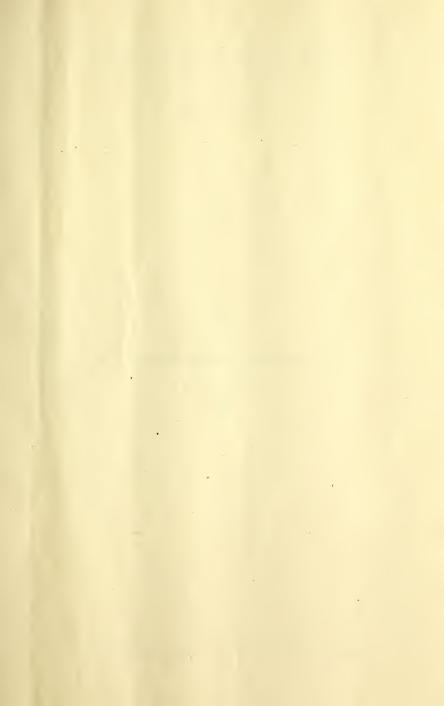


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Next term begins October 3, 1921, and continues eight months.

#### **CALENDAR**

School opens October 3, 1921.

Thanksgiving Day, November 24, 1921.

Christmas Holidays, 24-27, 1921.

Emancipation Day, January 1, 1922.

Lincoln Day Program, February 12, 1922.

Washington Day Program, February 22, ,1922.

Annual sermon, May 21, 1922.

Commencement Day, May 24, 1922.

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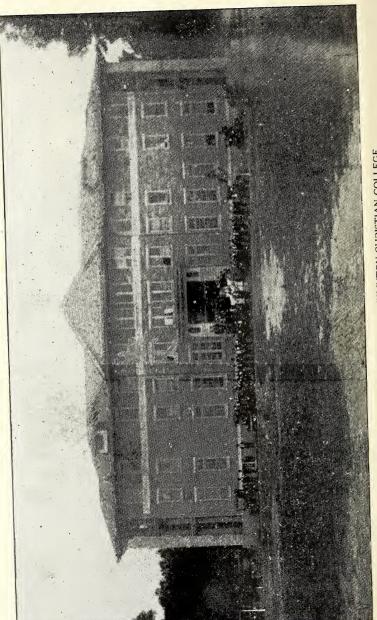
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ADMINISTRATION BUILDING FRANKLINTON CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

# FRANKLINTON CHRISTIAN COLLEGE Franklinton, N. C.

#### Location

This school is beautifully located in a grove, part of a tract of land lying along the Seaboard Air Line Railway, twenty-eight miles north of Raleigh and one mile north of the corporate limits of the town of Franklinton, N. C. This tract of land consists of eighty-two and one-half acres, with a good spring of water and a deep well which affords an abundant supply of pure water.

#### History

Christian College began its existence as a common school in the Franklinton Christian church in 1878, with H. E. Long, teacher. It had the active sympathy and cooperation of many of the brethren of the Southern Christian Convention, and received aid from the public school fund.

The interest taken in the movement for education was so eagerly manifested by the colord people that it necessitated the employment of other teachers to assist Prof. Long. Dr. J. P. Watson, then mission secretary, made an appeal for help, through the Herald of Gospel Liberty, and many of the northern friends responded. Then the colored people raised three hundrd dollars and purchased ground for the school, and the northern friends furnished money for the main building. This building was erected in 1880, and the school was formally opened in the new building January 1, 1882, under the name, The Franklinton Literary and Theological Institute. In 1886 the Institute was placed under the care of the American Christian Convention, and a Board of Control was elected to foster its interest and to direct its work. In 1891 a charter was obtained from the State of North Carolina, and the name of the Institute was changed to Franklinton Christian College. A second building, "The Hermitage," or the Teachers' Home, was erected by the North Carolina Christian Conference (colored). Gaylord's Hall, the girls' dormitory, was built and furnished by Mrs. Emily Gaylord Wilson, of Philadelphia.

The history of the school has been one of progress. Its aim is to assist the student in acquiring high morals and intellectual attainment. Those who have graduated from the College rank well as teachers in the public schools, principals of high schools, ministers of the gospel, editors, and managers of large business interests. While the College has a commendable history of the past, its future is full of promise; its courses of study have been revised, more departments of work have been added, and it is the aim of the Board of Control and the Faculty to keep the College abreast with all the institutions of like grade for the colored people. The purchase of a large tract of land and the erecting of the splendid reinforced concrete building on the new site greatly increases the value and usefulness of the institution.

Following are the names of those who have served as heads of the school, with the dates: H. E. Long, 1878; Rev. George Young, 1882; C. A. Beck, 1889; J. F. Ullery, 1890; Rev. N. Del McReynolds, 1891; Rev. Z. A.Poste, 1897; H. E. Long, 1904; F. S. Hendershot, 1917; Rev. S. A. Howell, D. D., 1920. All of these except Prof. Long and Dr. Howell were white men from the north.

## Building

The new school building is a beautiful structure of concrete and cement blocks, is one hundred and twenty feet long and four stories high, including basement. The class-rooms and dormitories are furnished with modern conveniences, heat, and electric lights. The building will accommodate one hundred and twenty students, and it is so arranged that the young men are restricted to their separate sections exclusively.

#### Resources

The College has a small endowment, the income of which pays part of the salaries of the teachers. The remainder is paid by personal contributions. There is need of a larger endowment, in order that important additions may be made to the course of study.

The Board of Control is also contemplating a dormitory for boys, to accommodate not less than one hundred. The members of the Christian Church (colored) are urgently requested to do their part in bringing about this muchdesired addition.

## Incorporation

# AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE FRANKLINTON CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 4. That Charles A. Beck, Byron R. Long, C. W. Garoutte, J. F. Ullery, and John Blood, their associates and successors, be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate under the name of "Franklinton Christian College," for the education of colored people of both sexes, with their chief place of business in the town of Franklinton, in the county of Franklin, and the State of North Carolina, and as such they shall have full powers to take by gift, devise, or by purchase, and to hold all such real and personal property as they may desire for the prosecution of their work, with full powers to sell and convey the same; they shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities, and shall have all the power conferred on corporations by the general laws of North Carolina, with full power to sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded.

Sec. 2. That the American Christian Convention have power to supply all vacancies that may occur in said board of trustees, to determine the length of time said trustees shall hold office, to appoint others in their stead, to increase or diminish the number of the same as the said American Christian Convention may deem best for the interest of the said College.

Sec. 3. That the board of trustees shall have power to elect a president, and such other professors, tutors, and instructors as they may see fit, and such president and professors, tutors and instructors shall constitute the faculty of said College, with full power to prescribe courses of study, to confer degrees, and give diplomas as other colleges and universities in said State now have the power to do.

Sec. 4. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification. Ratified the 5th day of February, A. D. 1891.

# Expenses

Entrance fee, five dollars, which pays for heat, light, physical culture, and medicine. Board per month, twelve dollars, making a total for first payment, seventeen dollars. Twelve dollars each month thereafter, due and payable the first of each month. If this is not paid the student will be excluded from the class-room. No fractional part of a month's board will be refunded to students leaving school, except in cases of protracted illness. Tuition free to boarders; local students, one dollar per month, in advance.

#### CURRICULUM

# GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT

Sixth Grade

Orthography English Grammar Arithmetic

Writing

Reading

United States History

Geography Agriculture Vocal Music Drawing Sewing Cooking

Physiology Bible Spelling

#### Seventh Grade

Arithmetic Language Geography Drawing Agriculture Writing Cooking Sewing

Vocal Music Reading Spelling Drawing Physiology History Bible

### Eighth Grade

Arithmetic American History Grammar Civics Sewing Cooking

Spelling Physiology Zoology Bible Geography Hygiene

# HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

#### First Year

Arithmetic Agriculture Ethics Bible Cooking Sewing

Physical Geography American Literature Study of Authors General History Latin

Algebra

# Second Year

Algebra (thru Quadratics)

**Bhetoric** General Science **English Composition** 

Pedagogy Caesar Drawing Cooking Sewing Bible

#### Third Year

Plane Geometry Cicero Rhetoric French

English Composition English History

Pedagogy Physics

Bible Domestic Science

### Fourth Year

Solid Geometry Virgil

Greek Mythology

English Literature Elementary Psychology

Authors and Themes Agriculture

Chemistry Bible

#### BUSINESS COURSE

Prerequisite: Completion of Second Year High School.

Commercial Arithmetic Typewriting
Commercial Geography
Bookkeeping Penmanship

Stenography

Note.—Electives must be so chosen as to meet the High School requirements for graduation.

#### TEACHERS' TRAINING COURSE

Requirements: Candidates for this course are required to complete two years in High School. In addition to the subject named in the High School course, special emphasis will be placed on the following subjects:

Child Study Folding
Vocal Music School Law

Bible School Management
Drawing Practice Teaching
Pedagogy Domestic Science

Rural Sociology Hygiene

Review of the Grammar School subjects

#### SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS' TRAINING COURSE

The Teacher and the Pupil Men of Steel

Life of Christ The Preparation for

Life of Paul Teaching

Instructions in organizing Sunday-schools

#### AGRICULTURAL COURSE

#### First Year

Arithmetic Rhetoric Botany Ethics Zoology Agriculture

Physiology Bible

# Second Year

Algebra American Literature

Physical Geography General Science General History Bible

# Third Year

Algebra English History **Physics** English Literature

Horticulture Dairving Stock Judging and Feeds Breeding Feeding

Bible

#### Fourth Year

English Authors Plant Breeding Political Economy Study of Soils

Elementary Psychology Zoology Geology Botany Agriculture Bible

#### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE

Prerequisite: Admission to Freshman Class may be either by certificate or examination. For full admission to the Freshman Class, candidates must offer fifteen units of work. A unit is a study pursued successfully in an approved preparatory school for one year, with five recitation periods of forty-five minutes each, or four of one hour each.

#### Freshman

Solid Geometry Greek Composition

Trigonometry French
Latin Composition English
Mythology Biology
Roman Literature Chemistry

Bible

## Sophomore

Zoology · Odyssey

Botany Greek Literature
Chemistry Augumentation
Logic Analytics

Greek Testament

#### Junior

Astronomy Bible

Physics ' Public Speaking

Social Science Chemistry

Philosophy (Quality analysis)

#### Senior

Psychology Geology

Political Economy Public Speaking

Moral Science Bible

Calculus

Note.—Electives must be so chosen as to meet the College requirements for graduation.

#### THEOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT

First Year

Old Testament or Hebrew Church History
Homiletics Public Speaking

Evidences of Christianity

Second Year

New Testament or N.T. Missions Greek Polity

Religious Literature Historyof the Christian

Philosophy , Church

Third Year

Exegesis Theology
Comparative Religion Apologetics

English Bible throughout the whole course

# Objects of the Theological Department

The chief objects are (a) to help in the all-important work of training religious leaders among the people; (b) to seek out apt young people in whom is the spirit of leadership, and who can be trained for real Christian and missionary service among their people, by means of systematic Biblical and theological studies. The young people of our day are raising many questions concerning the faith of their fathers. These questions can be helpfully and truthfully answered only by the earnest student of the Bible.

# Status of the Theological Department

The department is open to students of every Christian denomination. A purely Christian catholicity is maintained. A special feature in the institution will be the lectures on important theological subjects by resident and non-resident lecturers. Here is an exceptional opportunity for those who are desirous of improving themselves and thus becoming efficient workers. The call of this age

is for men of well-developed intellectual powers. Will you prepare to meet that demand? If so, apply at once to the president for terms of admission.

#### THE BIBLE SCHOOL OF CORRESPONDENCE

The Bible School of Correspondence, under the auspices of the Afro-Christian Convention, will also be conducted in this institution for the benefit of persons of all denominations, who cannot avail themselves of the opportunity of attending the Theological Department connected with other schools.

#### INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT

Each student is required to give one hour a day to some industrial feature. In the Domestic Science Department the young ladies are taught cooking and sewing. We shall add other industrial features as soon as we are able to provide the facilities.

Of the eighty-two and two-third acres of school property more than fifty acres are under cultivation, where the students have ample opportunity for practical agriculture.

# MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Voice Culture

A specialty will be made of concert practice, quartets, choruses, choir, and Negro melodies. Instruction free.

#### Pianoforte

Instruction on the piano and the use of the instrument for practice, \$1.50 per month. A competent teacher has charge of this department.

# **Equipments**

The College is co-educational, and the best possible advantages for the education and training of the girls and

boys are given. The school is non-sectarian, and there is no distinction on account of creed among trustees, faculty, or students.

### Library

The library contains about three thousand bound volumes, and is supplied daily with current literature, secular and religious. The faculty and students have access to it at all times.

### **Printing Plant**

In connection with the institution the Afro-Christian Publishing Association has established an office to publish the "Missionary Herald and Christian Star," Sunday-school literature, and do job printing for the entire field. Students will be given an opportunity to learn the trade.

#### RELIGIOUS SERVICES

The institution has daily devotions of singing, praying, and reading of the Scriptures. Regular weekly prayer-meetings are held on Wednesday nights. Sunday-school, church srvices, and Christian Endeavor every Sunday. The Bible is taught daily, and is emphasized as the greatest text-book. All students are required to attend these services.

### LITERARY SOCIETY

Special attention is given students in developing literary tastes and public speaking. The John Blood Literary Society renders a program every Friday night, and all students are required to perform during the month. An oratorical contest is held during the year, and a gold medal is given to the successful contestant.

#### ATHLETICS

The authorities encourage athletic exercises that contribute to the health, physical development, and proper conduct of the student.

#### **EXAMINATIONS**

Examinations are held at the close of each term, or upon the completion of definite portions of the work in different departments. Failure to attend the examinations, except for reasons of absolute necessity, will give a zero mark to the student or students, and will be regarded as a serious offense. The lowest average grade for the term's work is 70 per cent. Below this average the student will be required to repeat his term's work.

#### DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS

Upon those who satisfactorily complete the classical and scientific courses, and have maintained a good moral character, the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science are conferred respectfully. Those who complete the full course in theology will receive the degree of Bachelor of Divinity. Diplomas will be awarded to graduates of the High School, Normal and Business Departments.

#### DISCIPLINE AND REGULATIONS

The government of the College is such as is required in a Christian home. The school aims to develope Christian character as well as intellectual ability and culture. The formation of right habits of conduct is the most important part of education, therefore, all are required to conform to the best standard, the Bible.

Every person applying for admission must bring testimonials of good moral character. Students from other

schools must present certificaes of honorable dismissal from the proper authorities.

The rules and regulations are few and simple, appealing to the students' self-respect and personal responsibility. The following are the most important. requirements:

1. Proper observance of the Lord's day,—attendance at Sunday-school and church services. 2. Punctual attendance at chapel services, prayer-meetings, recitations, and exercises. 3. Strict observance of study hours: 8:30 a. m. to 12:15; 1:00 p. m. to 3:30; and from 7:00 p. m. to 9:00.

Every boarding student will held responsible for all improper conduct or disorder in his or her room, and particularly accountable for injury to property beyond ordinary use. 4. Every room must be accessible at all times to the officer in charge.

#### PROHIBITIONS

- 1. The use or possession of any immoral books or papers.
- 2. The use of intoxicants in any form; tobacco; firearms of any kinds; or games of chance.
- 3. All improper conduct, boisterous laughing, dancing and talking; profanity, or obscenity; congregating in one another's rooms during study hour.
- 4. Visiting the kitchen without permission; cutting or marking, or in any way defacing the building or furniture; throwing trash, water, litter, or any other thing from the windows.

Whenever the faculty is satisfied that a student is not fulfilling, or likely to fulfill the purpose of his residence at the College, or is for any cause an unfit member of the same, he shall be given opportunity to withdraw. Grave offences will be followed by instant dismissal.

- 5. Students are not allowed to be absent from school without permisson from the president.
  - 6. Unpermitted association of ladies and gentlemen,

communication and writing between them, or visiting to the halls or rooms of the other.

- 7. Calling, conversing, or throwing from the windows.
- 8. Leaving lights burning during an absence from room for more than fifteen minutes; or burning after 9:45 p. m.
  - 9. No light literature is allowed among the students.
- 10. Students cannot entertain other students, strangers, or relatives in room over night without permission from the president or matron. Local students are subject to the rules of the institution.
- 11. Persons seeking true womanhood and manhood are invited. Those unwilling to obey the rules and regulations are invited not to come.

#### **CLOTHING**

It is very necessary that the student be clothed for the preservation of health; but extravagant dressing is not allowed. This preserves health and teaches economy. The young women are required to have one blue serge or tweed suit, serge skirts, blue percale waists, and white waists. Each girl is required to provide herself with two aprons for domestic work. All garments must be plainly marked. Students must have rubbers or overshoes, raincoat, and an umbrella. Boarding students are requested to bring three sheets, four pillow cases, and at least one blanket or quilt. These articles may be purchased in the city in case of necessity.

#### **STUDENTS 1920-21**

Allen, K. S., Neuse, N. C. Artis, Albert, Franklinton, N. C. Avant, Edd, Franklinton, N. C. Avant, Frank H., Franklinton, N. C. Avant, Jane, Franklinton, N. C. Avant, Thelma, Franklinton, N. C. Barbee, Julius. Baxter, John Earl, Henderson, N. C. Baxter, William Clifford, Henderson, N. C. Blue, Clonnie, Aberdeen, N. C. Blue, Eldaah, Aberdeen, N. C. Bullock, Eunice, Townsville, N. C. Bullock, Ulysses, Townsville, N. C. Bullock, Subet, Norlina, N. C. Burns, Bettie, Eagle Rock, N. C. Burwell, Carrie, Henderson, N. C. Bynum, Rachel, Franklin, Va. Byrd, Mary, Waverly, Va. Carr, Eleanora, Raleigh, N. C. Chavis, Cortez, Oxford, N. C. Cheek, Willie, Louisburg, N. C. Coley, Lorena B., Louisburg, N. C. Convears, Royal, Youngsville, N. C. Cooke, Juliane, Franklinton, N. C. Curney, Perleau, Franklinton, N. C. Curney, David, Youngsville, N. C. Daniel, Mollie, Franklinton, N. C. Dixon, Chester, Newbern, N. C. Ellis, Alvena, Newport News, Va. Ellis, Chlora, North Carolina. Evans, Mabel, Norfolk, Va. Evans, Mary E., Norfolk, Va. Faulk, Augustine, Franklin, Va. Faulk, W. H., Norfolk, Va.

Grissom, Annie M., Holly Spring, N. C. Grissom, Libby, Holly Spring, N. C. Grissom, Novella, Holly Spring, N. C. Hargett. Rev. F. A., Morhead City, N. C. Hargett, Mrs. Florence, Morhead City. N. C. Hargrove, Charlie, Townsville, N. C. Hargrove, Edd Lee, Townsville, N. C. Hargrove, Mary E., Townsville, N. C. Harris, Ella, Franklinton, N. C. Harris, Eugene, Oxford, N. C. Harris, James, Franklinton, N. C. Hazel, Rev. Oscar, Burlington, N. C. Heggans, Elnora. Heggans, David. Henderson, Anderson R., Townsville, N. C. Henderson, Anna B., Townsville, N. C. Henderson, James E., Townsville, N. C. Henderson, James A., Townsville, N. C. Hertsfield, Sarah M., Louisburg, N. C. Hill, Alberta C. Hodges, Ruth, Purvis, Va. Holden, Annie K., Franklinton, N. C. Holland, Jasper, Holland, Va. Holmes, Mary F., Waverly, Va. Holt, Derry W. Howard, Robert, Oxford, N. C. Howell, Beatrice, Holland, Va. Howell, Jasper, Holland, Va. Hopkins, Meleck, Youngsville, N. C. Jackson, Richard, Norfolk, Va. Jerman, Gladys, Norlina, N. C. Johnson, Lydia, Holland, Va. Jones, Rev. Joseph, Dendron, N. C. Joyner, Noiner, Franklinton, N. C. King, Anna L. King, Hannah, Kinston, N. C.

Lewis, Estelle, Warrenton, N. C.
Massenburg, Vandelia, Wake Forest, N. C.
Mattocks, Lorena.
Mickmackal, Annie M., Franklinton, N. C.
Miller, Beatrice, Maribel, N. C.
Organ, Emma, Cary, N. C.
Pettway, Dempse, Townsville, N. C.

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Scott, Lillian, Holland, Va.

Scott, Mamie, Townsville, N. C.

Sherman, Leola, Norlina, N. C.

Smith, James D., Oxford, N. C. Smith, Vernie, Liberty, N. C.

Squires, Lorena.

Squires, Lovella.

Thomas, James D., Spring Hope, N. C. Thomas, Nettie, Spring Hope, N. C. Torney, Atlas, Spring Hope, N. C. Vicks, Annora, Spring Hope, N. C. Watkins, Genevie.

Watkins, Rosa, Norlina, N. C. Whitfield, Lucy E., Purvis, Va. Whitened, Lillian M., Franklin, Va. Wiggins, Ruth, Holland Va.

Wilcox, Maggie, Windsor, Va. Wilder, Genesee, Method, N. C. Williams, Essie, Aberdeen, N. C. Young, James, Youngsville, N. C.

